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For: ETCH STOP IN DAMASCENE
INTERCONNECT STRUCTURE AND
METHOD OF MAKING

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated April 19, 2005 (Paper No. 20050414), please reconsider the above-identified U.S. patent application in view of the following remarks: